

PROPOSED SENATE FIRST READERS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2013

TWENTIETH LEGISLATIVE DAY

**SB 176.** By Senators Tolleson of the 20th, Ginn of the 47th and Davis of the 22nd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 8 of Title 12 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to waste management, so as to revise provisions relating to management of hazardous waste sites and provisions concerning the enrollment, participation, and administration of hazardous site remediation programs; to amend Code Section 12-2-2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the Environmental Protection Division and Environmental Advisory Council, so as to revise provisions relating to procedures for challenging certain agency actions; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 177.** By Senators Ginn of the 47th, Jeffares of the 17th, Bethel of the 54th and Jackson of the 24th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 7 of Title 50 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the Department of Economic Development, so as to change the membership of the Georgia Tourism Foundation; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 178.** By Senator Millar of the 40th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 6 of Chapter 6 of Title 47 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to retirement, retirement allowances, and death benefits under the Georgia Legislative Retirement System, so as to define a certain term; to broaden a certain provision prohibiting a person receiving a pension under such retirement system from accepting public employment; to provide that the board of trustees of such retirement system shall have the authority to provide for the time and circumstances of paying benefits as necessary to comply with federal law; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 179.** By Senators Hill of the 6th and Dugan of the 30th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 10 of Title 13 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to contracts for public works, and Chapter 91 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to public works bidding, so as to provide that, if a sealed competitive proposal is requested and price or project cost is not a selection or evaluation factor, no bid bond shall be required; to provide for an exception; to correct statutory references; to authorize incentives in contracts for early project completion by contractors; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 180.** By Senators Bethel of the 54th, Golden of the 8th, Carter of the 1st and Stone of the 23rd:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 47-20-83 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to certificated or uncertificated forms of investment and real estate investments, so as to increase the total percentage of investments permissible in real estate investments for the Georgia Municipal Employees Benefit System and any association of like political subdivisions which contracts with its members; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 181.** By Senators Bethel of the 54th, Chance of the 16th, Thompson of the 33rd and Staton of the 18th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Code Section 1-4-3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to American History Month and Georgia History Month, so as to declare September of each year to be Georgia History Month; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 182.** By Senator Lucas of the 26th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to reconstitute the Board of Education of Hancock County, approved April 5, 1993 (Ga. L. 1993, p. 4524), as amended, so as to change the description of the education districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for the continuation in office of current members; to provide for the submission of this Act for preclearance pursuant to Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 183.** By Senator Lucas of the 26th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act creating a Board of County Commissioners of Hancock County, approved October 5, 1885 (Ga. L. 1884-85, p. 435), as amended, so as to change the description of the commissioner districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for the continuation in office of current members; to provide for the submission of this Act for preclearance pursuant to Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SB 184.** By Senators McKoon of the 29th, Mullis of the 53rd, Miller of the 49th, Thompson of the 5th, Ligon, Jr. of the 3rd and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 2 of Title 21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to primaries and elections generally, so as to provide that all offices in this state shall be elected on a partisan basis; to provide for exceptions; to provide for certain referendums and procedures; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

**SR 251.** By Senators McKoon of the 29th and Crane of the 28th:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life and memory of Mr. Walter Johnson Lukken; and for other purposes.

- SR 252.** By Senator James of the 35th:
- A RESOLUTION honoring and celebrating the 90th birthday of Ms. Lula Mae Parker; and for other purposes.
- SR 253.** By Senators McKoon of the 29th, Cowsert of the 46th, Ramsey, Sr. of the 43rd, Stone of the 23rd, Thompson of the 5th and others:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing February 17-23, 2013, as Georgia Court Reporting and Captioning Week at the capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 254.** By Senators Murphy of the 27th and Gooch of the 51st:
- A RESOLUTION congratulating Kelsey Hirsch; and for other purposes.
- SR 255.** By Senators Davenport of the 44th and Seay of the 34th:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing Tuesday, February 26, 2013, as Clayton County Day at the capitol; and for other purposes.
- SR 256.** By Senator Albers of the 56th:
- A RESOLUTION congratulating and commending the Centennial High School Model United Nations team on its national and state achievements; and for other purposes.
- SR 257.** By Senator Albers of the 56th:
- A RESOLUTION congratulating David Resnick; and for other purposes.
- SR 258.** By Senator Hill of the 6th:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Sam Massell and the Buckhead Coalition on the occasion of their 25th anniversary; and for other purposes.
- SR 259.** By Senator Hill of the 6th:
- A RESOLUTION honoring the Cumberland Community Improvement District; and for other purposes.
- SR 260.** By Senator Staton of the 18th:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Aretha Neal on receiving the Georgia Hospital Association's Distinguished Service Award; and for other purposes.
- SR 261.** By Senators Heath of the 31st and Dugan of the 30th:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Mercedes Laine Williams; and for other purposes.
- SR 262.** By Senators Heath of the 31st and Dugan of the 30th:
- A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending Lisa Williams; and for other purposes.

SR 263. By Senators Heath of the 31st and Dugan of the 30th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Great American Bus Interactive Education, LLC (G.A.B.I.E.); and for other purposes.

SR 264. By Senator Hill of the 6th:

A RESOLUTION recognizing and commending the Ahavath Achim Synagogue on the occasion of its 125th anniversary; and for other purposes.